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DETAILED ACTION

Information Disclosure Statement

1. The information disclosure statement (IDS) submitted on 7/21/03 was filed after the mailing date of the Final Office Action on 2/24/03, after a request for continued examination on 6/24/03, and prior to the mailing of the first Office Action after a request for continued examination on 10/1/03. The submission is in compliance with the provisions of 37 CFR 1.97. Accordingly, the information disclosure statement is being considered by the examiner.
2. The Examiner notes that the cited art of record, including those cited in the IDS submitted on 7/21/03, fail to teach or reasonably suggest the wavemeter, software product, and method for determining a wavelength of an incoming beam, as recited in Claims 1, 6 13, and 21. Claims 1-27 are allowable for the reasons as set forth in Section 4 of the Office Action dated 4/15/04.

Conclusion

3. Any inquiry concerning this communication or earlier communications from the examiner should be directed to Arnel C. Lavarias whose telephone number is 571-272-2315. The examiner can normally be reached on M-F 8:30 AM - 5 PM EST.

If attempts to reach the examiner by telephone are unsuccessful, the examiner's supervisor, Drew Dunn can be reached on 571-272-2312. The fax phone number for the organization where this application or proceeding is assigned is 703-872-9306.

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